

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TUNIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1385

INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: ELAB, OCON

SUBJ: AFRO AND ATUC MEETINGS

REF: TUNIS 1411

1. LIST OF AFRICAN DELS TO ATUC MEETING APRIL 1 AS  
PUBLISHED INDICATES SOME 13 ATUC AFFILIATES REPRESENTED  
FROM FOLLOWING COUNTRIES: DAHOMEY, ETHIOPIA, GUINEA  
( BISSAU), IVORY COAST, LIBERIA, MAURITANIA, NIGERIA,  
SENEGAL, SIERRA LEONE, TOGO, TUNISIA, UPPER VOLTA AND  
ZAIRE. REPS MADAGASCAR AND THE GAMBIA ALSO HERE BUT NOT  
PRESENT FOR APRIL 1 SESSION.

2. ICFTU/ AFRO WHICH HELD SEVERAL MEETINGS DURING CONGRESS  
HAS SIX- MAN DELEGATION IN ADDITION TO SECGEN KERSTEN WHO  
RECEIVED BY PRESIDENT BOURGUIBA ( SEPTEL).

3. OUTCOME OF MEETINGS STILL UNCLEAR AND NO MOTION  
YET PUBLISHED. HOWEVER, BASED ON OPENING SPEECH BY  
ATUC PRESIDENT HABIB ACHOUR AND SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATIONS  
WITH PARTICIPANTS APPEARS ATUC AGREED GO AHEAD WITH  
UNITY TALKS IN ADDIS ON BASIS OF OAU PREPARATORY  
COMMITTEE PROPOSAL. HOWEVER, ATUC PROPOSES MAKE CERTAIN  
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CHANGES IN DRAFT CONSTITUTION CONCERNING AFFILIATION  
ISSUE, NAME OF ORGANIZATION, ETC.

4. SOME PARTICIPANTS NOT SANGUINE THAT ADDIS MEETING  
WILL LEAD TO CONCRETE RESULTS BUT IT WILL OFFER CHANCE  
TO DISCUSS UNITY PROPOSALS WITH AATUF. POSSIBILITY  
EXISTS THAT IF THERE IS SOME MEETING OF MINDS AT ADDIS  
AATUF AND ATUC WILL SCHEDULE SUBSEQUENT MEETING WITHOUT  
SPONSORSHIP OF OAU. THIS ALSO INDICATED IN ACHOUR'S  
SPEECH.  
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